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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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File No. 253

Serial Nos. 1 — 5

Papers Filed.

Month. March 1910.

SUBJECT.

Petition from Sregowda & others of Melkote, praying for the grant of certain Marinades due from the Sri Narayana Swami Temple.

PREVIOUS REFERENCES. LATER REFERENCES.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

(Muzrai)

NOTES.

File No. 253/07

FILE HEADING.

Claim of the Bandikars of Melkote to all betel leaves and nut offered to the deity while on Vahanam

From

Ere Gowda and others of Melkote

No. Petition Dated 25. 3 1908 Received

Diary No. 3945	Enclos. -	Spare Copies -	Serial No. 1

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Hal 37) Complain that Venkataramanaah, late Peshkar of the Sri Narayanaswamy temple did not show them the above manzade, as per manul.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

2 To, the Dy. Commr, Mysore Dis
O. M. no 4352 dt 1-4-08
Forwards Sl 1 for report.

3. From, the same officer,
Letter no 383 dt 15-2-1908

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Paper under (Confidential)

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no 292/243 dy 17.5.08
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Recommends that Bandikars may be given all betel leaves and nut.

The late French Rocks Dy. Amildar's report and the English memo prepared by Mr Ramanathan explain fully the facts of the Case.

This seems to be one of the several complaints against the ~~last~~ late Peshkar.

On the 19th November 1907, when the utsavam of Chaluvarayaswamy was taken to the Akkhala matt, the people of Melkote were fed. During the Sandarpane, Prasadam consisting of cooked rice etc. was given at the same time both to Bhandikars and Settigars. It seems that food was served to the Settigars on leaves spread within the precincts of the Kalyani while Vessels containing Prasada was given to Bhandikars. On account of this difference, the latter thought they were dishonored and discontinued attending the Temple on occasions of Car-festival when their services are most needed. It further seems that the Peshkar

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did not give them as per to manual the rebel- leaves and not offered to the deity and got these articles disposed of by public auction. The Settigars also having claimed on the authority of some old documents, the matter was enquired into by the Local authorities.

The Dy Amildar reports that he had issued an order to the Peshkar directing that manual should be observed pending the final settlement of this question but the latter did not obey it and was giving room to such disputes by creating differences etc. and added that the Bhandikars who were turning out good work, deserved encouragement.

In his English memo dated 14th July. 1910, the Asst Commr Mr Ramanathan having summarized the documentary evidence, has discussed the claims set up by the rival parties and states that by virtue of the orders of the late Maharaja the Bhandikars seem to have the statutory rights [illegible]

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betel leaves, nuts etc while on Vahanam; while the right of Settigars if they have any right at all, is more or less a prescriptive right and that they have the other marizade of setting Thirtha after Venkatapuradavarus. He thinks that all the Bhandigars may be given all the betel leaves and nuts. The Dy. Commr concurs in the above view.

Submitted for orders. No order having been passed in this case return papers to him for destn

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Dft Submtd. to the Dy. Commr.

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In the first communication of 8/3/10 the Dy Comr was asked to dispose of the matter and intimate to Govt. Subsequently a report was called for. As the matter has in the first instance to be decided by the Dy Comr the draft may be put up

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Draft approved by Dr

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From

To

The Dy. Commr
Mysore Distt.

Dated

Despatched 20.1.08.

Received

General No. 1292
No.

Enclosure No. Nil

Has the honor to forward herewith for favor of early disposal and report to this office of the orders passed, petition registered no. 2836 dated 13th instant from Gowda and a number of other "Bhandikars" of the Sri Narayanaswamy at Melkote.

The petitioners complain during the conduct

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Samaravahane in November
last, the temple Goshkar
openly insulted them & offended
their religious feelings and
also that they were not shown
the usual Thatte marigaes.

By order,

Dft) [illegible]
Secretary.

Encl: To the petn 14/07.1.08

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From

L ANANTASAMI RAO, Esq, B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Muzrai Department.

To

The Dy Commr
Mysore Dt

Dated

Despatched 5.2.08

Received

General No. 3417
Muzrai F. No.

Enclosure No One

In continuation of this Office Docket No 3293 Dy 20th January 1908 has the honor to forward herewith for early disposal and report of the action taken ~~disposal~~ per (Reg^d No 2919 dy 11.1.1908 to the Dewan ~~Bahadur~~ by Yere Gowda and others Bhandisars of the Sri Varadaraja swami temple at Melkote, Cum[illegible]

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the temple has attracted
them &c. during the Samara dance
in Nov^r last.

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GOVT. OF H. H. THE MAHARAJA
OF MYSORE.

MUZRAI DEPARTMENT.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

No. 4352 Encl

The accompanying Petition No. 3945

dated 25th March 08 received at this Office from Eri Gowda and others of Melkote praying for the grant of certain inams due from the Sri Narayana Swami temple at Melkote.

is forwarded, ~~together with its enclosures~~, to the Dy Comr, Mysore Dt, for enquiry and report. ~~togr~~. ~~with~~ An extract of the Ayakat Patti referred to in the petn the effect that betel leaves & nut offered to the deity on the occasion of Utsavas should be given to the petrs, may be kindly obtained & forwarded together with the Dy Comrs opinion on the prayer of the petrs.

By Order,

31/3/08

Secretary,
Muzrai Department.

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Ends to the petn 28/3/08

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To The Deputy Commr.,

Mysore District

Dated

Despatched 9.7.08.

Received

General No. 607

No.

Enclosure No. One

In continuation of this office no 1252 21st April 1908, have the honour to forward herewith Petition no 5211 dt 27th June 1908 from Govda and others of Malkote praying for the grant of certain Inams lands from the Sri Narayana Swami Temple at Melkote to regent [illegible]

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From Mr. Kantaraj Urs Esq: B.A
Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District

To S. Balasundaram Iyer Esq: B.A
Offg: Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore
Genl and Rev: Departts, Mysore
Branch

Dated

Despatched 15th February 1910

Received

General No. 383
No.

Enclosure No. 1 file

Recommends that Bandi-
-kars of Sri Narayanaswamy
temple at melkote, may be
given all betel leaves and nuts

Reply --

17.2.10

No. 383
Enc. No. 1file

OFFICE OF THE Deputy Commissioner
MYSORE DISTRICT,
Dated Mysore Camp 15th February 1910.

To
C S Balasundaram Ayyar Esq., B. A.
Offg SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT
OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE,
GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.
Muzrai Branch

Sir,

Adverting to yr dockets Nos 3293 and 4352 dated 20th January 1908 and 1st April 1908 respectively forwarding for report the marginally noted petitions (herewith returned) from the Bandikars of the Sri Narayana Swamy temple at Melkote, I have the honor to submit herewith the records bearing on the subject and ending with the Sub divisional officer's yadast No 114/367 dated 2nd November 1908 together with an English memo dated

3945 dated 25.3.08
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dated 14th February 1910 filed the records.

For reasons stated in the memo I am disposed to think that the Bandikars may be given all the Betel leaves and nut

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

your most obedient servant

H. Jamalabad

for Deputy Commissioner

Dharwar District

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Dft as per orders

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Diary No. of letter replied to

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To

The Dy. Commr,
Mysore Dist

Date of issue 17th March 1910

Signed by M.R. A. S. Iyer

Sir,

Adverting to your letter no 383 Dt 15th Feby. 1910 reporting on the claim of the Bandikars of Sri Narayana Swamy Temple at Melkote to all betel-leaves and nuts offered to the deity while on Vahanam, I am directed to return the records for your decision in observance that the order in the first instance has been passed by you in the case and to return herein the records of enquiry for deciding the matter yourself. I have the.

Dft 11/3 8/3/1910 over. Secretary

11/3/10 SUBJECT.